

Weasel Words and the Art of Lying to Mankind

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Re-enactment in 1994 of the Magdeburg Sphere experiment of 1662

In the KJV translation of Romans 1:18 – **"For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness"** – the word "hold" means to *hold back* or *suppress*.

An ultra-rich Elite has for decades exercised a stranglehold over science and the media. In their pursuit of greater control over mankind they are deliberately suppressing the truth about God and His wonderful creation. This is especially true of cosmology. They are working on the principle that the less we know about creation and our flat, stationary earth, the less we are inclined to know our Creator.

Even television programs like 'Life on Earth' and similar documentaries narrated by David Attenborough, which present the wonders of the natural world in admirable detail, are designed primarily to deny God. They do this by predicating everything on the false theory of Evolution.

The Great Blasphemer

It is doubtful whether anyone on earth today has blasphemed God as frequently or as ardently as Mr Attenborough. He points again and again to a remarkable animal or bird species in its natural habitat and then dismisses its existence as a mere accident. What God intended as tangible evidence of His mercy and love is used instead by the BBC to promote the nihilism and atheism that sap the spiritual vitality of mankind and make it easier for the Elite to bring about a New World Order.



David Attenborough and friend.

'Mother Nature'

Attenborough often refers to 'Nature' or 'Mother Nature' in a casual way, as though there existed a being other than God who lovingly oversaw the emergence of the world we see around us. Her gentle intervention, we are led to believe, implies a measure of intelligence and maternal concern in the random, mechanical process of Evolution. Often 'she' is designated simply by the word 'Nature', the kindly Gaia whose subtle ministrations are hampered only by the presence of man. Textbooks on botany, biology and zoology reinforce this perception, as though a life-giving essence called 'Nature' embraced the earth.

All of this is paganism, of course. But it is paganism in a disguised form, where weasel words are used to put across ideas that we would otherwise reject. And they work. Most college students would be shocked if they were told there is no such thing as 'Nature'! Even Bible-believing Christians might find this proposition unsettling. What do you mean, "no such thing"? Surely Nature is all around us? But that is exactly the point. Nature is **not** all around us. Rather, we live in the world that God created. The world that *God* created is all around us.

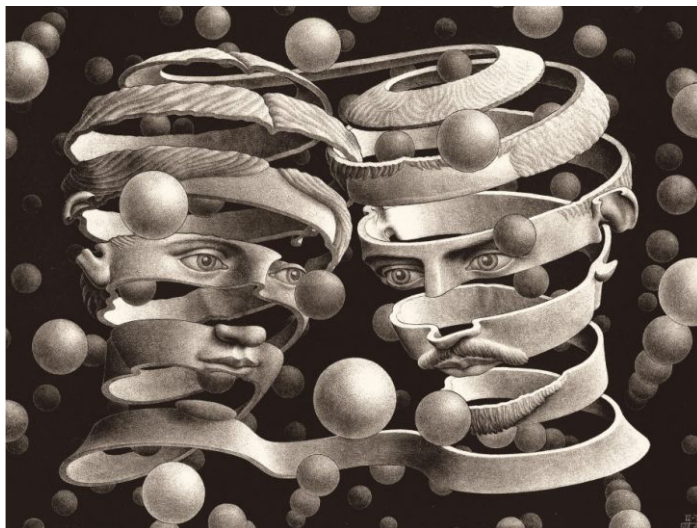
His wonderful laws continue to regulate and sustain our existence. We can certainly speak of this as the *natural* world, but the entity known as 'Nature' or 'Mother Nature' does not exist. She (or it) is purely fictional. The Elite want us to give to this imaginary being some, if not all, of the glory that is due only to God.

This is how weasel words work. They take truth and twist it in some manner, or they suppress it by pretending to convey something of substance. They are more than just clichés or slogans, but a potent means of shaping the way we think.

Concepts designed to mock and pervert God's Creation

Relativity is a very good example of this. It was unknown a hundred years ago, but today it is treated as an indispensable concept in several unrelated disciplines. But what does it mean? It is simply a neat way of saying that nothing is absolutely true – which makes it one of the most weasel-like of all weasel words. The Elite love this word, and others like it, such as *contextual*, because it enables them to indulge in their favorite pastime, namely mocking the world that God created and the moral order that He established.

Evolution is another potent weasel word. Nothing is really what it seems, according to this concept, but is constantly changing. Imperceptible adjustments are continually occurring inside everything, both animate and inanimate. Not only are all living creatures evolving, but so too are the sun, moon and stars. Even humans are evolving, moving gradually into a higher state of consciousness. One day the entire universe will reach the Omega Point where matter itself will attain self-awareness and man will become a god.



Evolution and Relativity are designed to mock and distort God's creation.

As you can see, an entire philosophy can be spun from just a few weasel words. Relativity and Evolution are two of the most destructive lies of the past hundred years. They mock God's unchanging truth and replace it with pseudo-scientific hypotheses which paralyze our critical faculties and make the most absurd ideas seem reasonable.

Transformation

The weasel word *transformation* is often used in place of *evolution* to instill the idea that wonderful changes would take place if only one had the courage to take the bold step and join the new organization, church, movement, party, or whatever. For example the cult sometimes known as the New Apostolic Reformation – founded by C Peter Wagner, among others – makes frequent use of this term. All kinds of delectable scenarios can be made to seem attainable through repeated use of this magical word. (See our paper on magical thinking - #147).

Sustainability

The Elite have since come up with another weasel word to justify their draconian plan to control our 'environment' – namely the world that God created. The word is *sustainability*. Just about any human activity has as 'impact' on the environment, they say, and all 'impacts' have effects that need to be controlled. They promote such foolishness as "the butterfly effect" and "the hundredth monkey" to create the impression that even the smallest change can have far-reaching implications for the world as a whole. They allege that there are now so many people on the 'planet' that long-term social engineering is imperative, otherwise the impact of a seemingly innocent activity could spiral out of control and damage our environment.

The only way to deal with this supposed threat is to ensure that all human enterprise conforms with the principle of *sustainability*. Whether or not a program or activity is sustainable will be decided by a team of experts. In short, a proxy appointed by the state.

At the moment the UN is the main purveyor of this philosophy, using Agenda 21 and Agenda 2030 to impose all kinds of rules and regulations on mankind. These controls and restrictions are being used to drive people off the land, to limit crop output, to tax or limit water usage, to restrict travel, to control mineral rights, and to create so many taxes and red tape, not to mention associated fines and penalties, that the rural population will be greatly reduced. Once they are herded into cities, the masses will be easier to control.



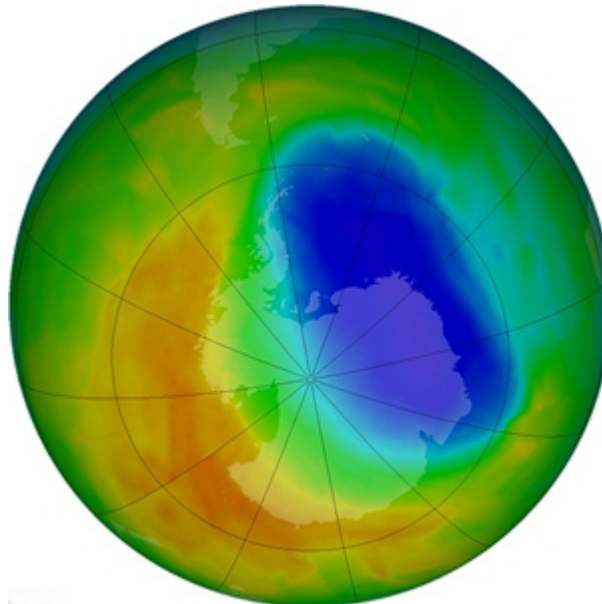
A weasel word like *sustainability* lends greater credibility to false scientific theories, in particular the notion of global warming. If the earth's atmosphere is getting warmer, and if this is caused mainly by human activity, then the principle of sustainability can be brought into play. Any activity that causes global warming must be controlled.

The Elite are promoting this false scientific theory since it enables them to impose punitive greenhouse-gas emission targets on selected countries and curtail their industrial development.

The 'Ozone Layer'

A few years ago they claimed that a huge hole had opened in the ozone layer above the Antarctic. This allegedly closed after CFCs were banned. The great advantage with a hole over the Antarctic was that its existence could not be independently verified – all civilian travel south of the 60th parallel is banned under a UN treaty which came into force in 1961. (We will ignore the fact that a continent known as the Antarctic could not exist on a flat, stationary earth.) The ban on CFCs enabled the Elite to confirm that industrial controls, such as gas emission standards, could be imposed on a worldwide basis. It also helped to condition the masses to accept the imposition of further output restrictions in the future.

If we step back for a moment we will see that, in our example, we had a weasel word (*sustainability*) working alongside a false scientific theory (*global warming*) to address a bogus problem (the alleged ozone hole) to produce a bogus solution (banning an industrial gas). It is through the use of well-crafted lies of this kind that the Elite are able to shape and control human behavior.



The alleged hole in the ozone layer [NASA chart]

Global Warming is a hoax

How do we know that global warming is a hoax? Firstly, if it did exist, it cannot have a human cause since major changes in atmospheric temperatures have occurred in the past when human industrial activity was virtually nil. These include the Medieval Maximum and the Maunder Minimum, both of which lasted over two hundred years.

The principal 'greenhouse gas' is water vapour – cloud cover – over which we have no control. The impact of all other greenhouse gases combined is vastly less than the impact of water vapour. Furthermore, these alleged greenhouse gases are produced in far great quantities through sporadic volcanic activity, including undersea volcanic vents, than by industrial production.

Finally, the statistics on recent global warming have been disputed by many qualified scientists, men and women of integrity who are invariably ignored by the media. In any event, the statistics, if they existed, could only be understood in causational terms by feeding them into a model that accurately simulated the many factors that affect the average temperature of the atmosphere – but no such model exists.

The Word of God also tells us that global warming is impossible. If it were to occur in the manner described by the Elite, sea levels would rise and islands would disappear. Many major cities situated along the coastline would be washed away and the contours of many countries would be radically altered. Graphic illustrations of this, including maps of the geographical areas likely to disappear first, have been reproduced in newspapers and magazines around the world. But they conflict with God's Word:

"Fear ye not me? saith the LORD: will ye not tremble at my presence, which have placed the sand for the bound of the sea by a perpetual decree, that it cannot pass it: and though the waves thereof toss themselves, yet can they not prevail; though they roar, yet can they not pass over it?" – Jeremiah 5:22

When the LORD says something is governed by a **"perpetual decree"** we can be certain that there is not a single thing mankind can do to change it!

Scare tactics

The following chart is typical of the scare tactics being used:

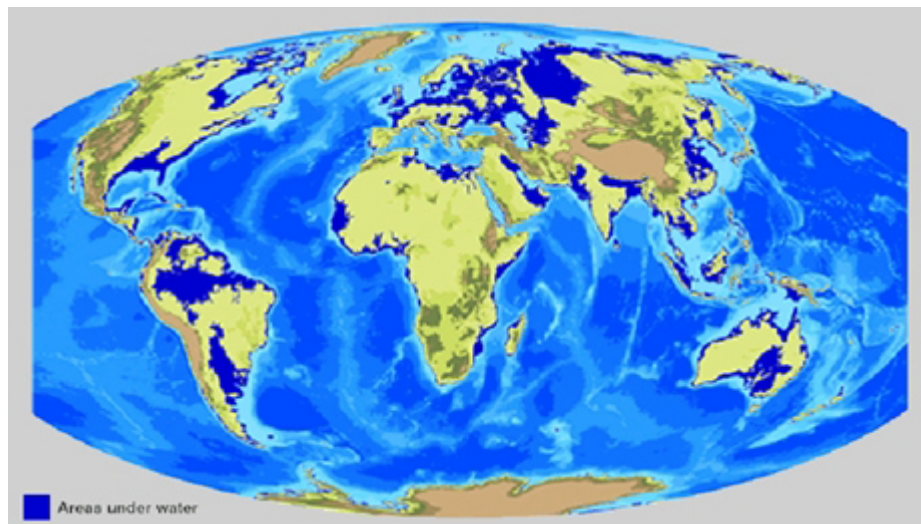


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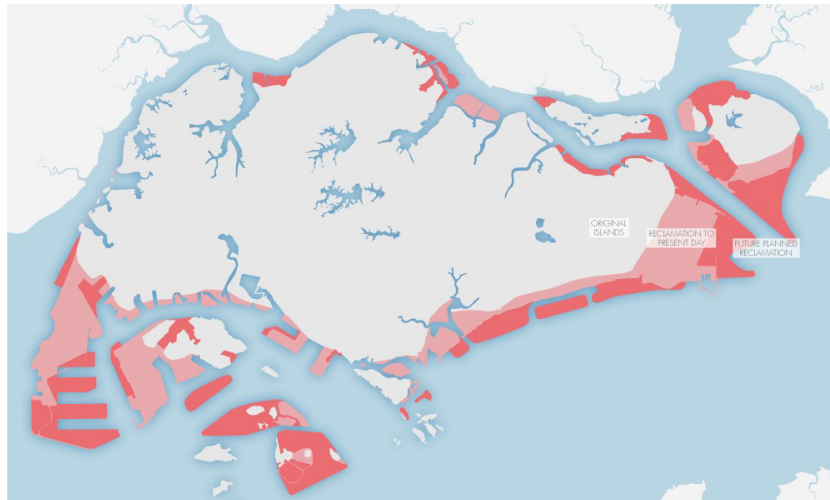
Such an outcome would be devastating, but it will never happen. We know this because the Word of God has promised that it will never happen! -

"And I, behold, I establish my covenant with you, and with your seed after you; And with every living creature that is with you, of the fowl, of the cattle, and of every beast of the earth with you; from all that go out of the ark, to every beast of the earth. And I will establish my covenant with you; neither shall all flesh be cut off any more by the waters of a flood; neither shall there any more be a flood to destroy the earth." – Genesis 9:9-11

It pleases Satan and his earthly servants to mock God's Word and raise the prospect of massive worldwide flooding using phony science. This passage alone tells us that global warming is a lie since it rules out the very scenario that this bogus theory predicts.

Disappearing Islands

So, if they are to keep this illusion alive, the Elite must find ways to convince the sceptics. They already have one under way – disappearing islands. Many small islands around Indonesia have disappeared over the past decade. None were of sufficient size to attract media attention, but larger islands will likely disappear in the years ahead. Such an event would convince many that the polar icecaps are melting and that the sea level is rising. Even if this phenomenon was confined to south-east Asia, it would provide what many would consider incontrovertible proof of global warming.



Singapore Expansion
Pink areas illustrate the land created up to 2013.
Red areas illustrate planned future expansion.

But why are the islands disappearing, and why will more disappear in the future? The reason is sand, the largest traded commodity in the world. All readily accessible sand, suitable for construction, has been used up. This has forced the building industry to find alternative sources.

Desert sand is unsuitable since its particles are too polished for construction purposes. Alluvial (river) and marine sand is superior since its sharp, gritty contours bind better with cement and gravel. China and other Asian countries are undertaking numerous construction projects which consume massive volumes of sand. Much of this is being secretly extracted from the ocean floor off Indonesia and Vietnam by huge dredgers and shipped in super-size tankers to their destination. The displacement which this causes in the ocean floor is off-set by the leeching of sand from nearby islands. So, even if the dredging takes places many miles from an island, the submarine movement of sand, which takes place over a very wide area, will eat into its foundations.

Singapore is set to become one of the most important cities in the New World Order, serving as a major financial hub for the entire Asian arena and co-ordinating trade and partnership in the Chinese sphere of influence. However, it is an island and can only expand by extending its land mass. It has been doing this for decades by importing prodigious quantities of sand. As a result, according to one source, its total area has been increased by almost 20 percent.



Dredger transferring sand to a super-tanker.

Global warming will take the blame for the damage caused by extensive sand removal from the ocean floor. We know this is the case since it has happened already. When a dredging operation in Vietnam in 2015 caused serious coastal erosion, the government authorities blamed "climate change" (*Thanh Nien News*, 9 December 2015). Hundreds of thousands of tons of sand were removed at a cost of less than \$1 a ton.

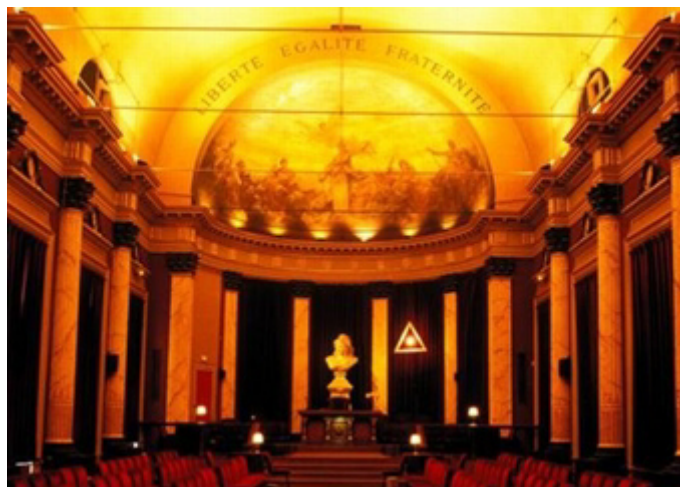
We cite this example merely to show how the New World Order will focus the blame for environmental damage on climate change. From their point of view it will have a double benefit, allowing them to furnish the public with seemingly conclusive evidence that global warming is accelerating and, at the same time, to extract large quantities of minerals and other commodities from the earth without any regard to the consequences.

The French Revolution

Weasel words have been around for longer than we think. The French Revolution gained popular support from the many false promises embedded in the slogan, 'Liberté, Égalité, Fraternité' (Liberty, Equality, Fraternity). This continues to be used today as the national motto of France. But what does it mean? We get a clue to its real meaning when we realize that it is also the motto of the Grand Orient (French Freemasonry).

To the average citizen they denote freedom from tyranny, equal treatment for all, and recognition that we are all brothers. But in practice no one ever knows for sure. It is used in various ways to induce the public to accept whatever political program is on offer. After all, if it promises *liberté*, *égalité*, and *fraternité*, then it must be a good thing.

In reality it is an Illuminati slogan, which explains why it is the motto of French Freemasonry. The *Liberté* in question is freedom from the so-called tyranny of God; the *Égalité* they have in mind is equality before God; and the *Fraternité* envisaged is the brotherhood of enlightened men who control their own destiny, without reference to the will of God. It is really a blasphemous chant, a defiant rejection of the order established by God. Lucifer was the first one to use it when he claimed to have freed himself from God's authority ('*Liberté*'), when he claimed to have equal standing before God (*Égalité*'), and when he rallied his army of rebellious angels around him – his infernal fraternity.



The motto of the Grand Orient, *Liberté, Égalité, Fraternité*, displayed at its Temple in Paris.

Outer Space

Since so many lies start with weasel words, it pays to learn how to recognize them. We can think of a weasel word as a thread that's tied to a cord, and the cord has many insidious ideas attached; and when we pull on the cord we find it's tied to something even heavier, a rope supporting an entire philosophy.

Let's take a word which denotes an immense reality and see how well it passes the weasel test. The word or term we have chosen is "outer space".

What does it mean? Forget for a moment what you have been told and ask yourself what you understand by the term. Just how specific and tangible is it? What evidence have you ever been given to convince you that it refers to something real?

Outer space is no different from words like *evolution* and *relativity*. It is meant to denote a cosmological reality, a void so vast that we cannot even visualize it in our imagination; it is also a near perfect vacuum, with a few bits of matter strewn here and there; and it is so cold that no life form of any kind could survive there. In fact it is so large that it constitutes by volume more than 99.999 percent of the universe that God created. What is more, it is expanding at the speed of light so that, with each passing day, the actual amount of 'stuff' or matter that God created becomes smaller and smaller in the vastness of this ever-expanding vacuum.

The power of a vacuum

A vacuum is as close as we get on earth to something that conflicts fundamentally with the fruitfulness and mercy of God. This may be why it is so hard to make one. Anyone who has tried to create a vacuum in a science lab will know what we mean. The natural laws of our world resist a vacuum with remarkable tenacity. As the proverb says, 'Nature abhors a vacuum.' So why would God create a universe that consisted almost exclusively of a vacuum? And how could the atmosphere above the earth possibly survive the voracious pull of this supposed vacuum? The whole idea is absurd.



The original Magdeburg hemispheres and Von Guericke's vacuum pump in the Deutsches Museum, Munich, Germany

In 1657, Otto Von Guericke, a German aristocrat, held a widely acclaimed public demonstration in the town of Magdeburg. He used a special pump to extract the air from two adjoining metal hemispheres which were not otherwise connected. The resulting vacuum held the two parts together so tightly that a team of horses was unable to pull them apart. The townsfolk were stunned.



It is almost as if *outer space* was a term designed to mock God's creation. It could even qualify as a description of hell. See Jude 1:13, which speaks of "**wandering stars, to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness forever**", and 2 Peter 2:17 – "**These are wells without water, clouds that are carried with a tempest; to whom the mist of darkness is reserved forever.**" So *outer space*, which the scientists at NASA envisage as a possible future home for mankind, is really no different from hell.

Isn't that exactly what Satan has planned for all who are made in the image and likeness of God?

As weasel words go, the term *outer space* may prove to be the most dangerous of all. The moment a person thinks he knows what it means, he is automatically exposed to the entire menagerie of fantastic concepts and cosmic entities that go with it. It is like a Trojan virus, a tiny piece of malware that gets into your computer and opens the door to a tumultuous flood of destructive material.

Bible-believing Christians should grab this weasel word and shake it really hard. They should take it apart and inspect it with true Biblical discernment. Given all that we know about Satan and his ways, his incredibly clever lies, and his intense hatred of mankind, it should be easy to see why he would want to invent a term like *outer space*.

Would you give a thief the key to your front door? Then why accept from Satan a concept which, the instant you believe it, your entire universe is turned upside down? If the concept is false – and it is – then you have given him the right to poison your mind with science fiction until you leave this world.

CONCLUSION

If pastors and preachers were to read and believe – sincerely believe – the cosmology of the Bible, they would be able to see that *outer space* is a lie [See the many verses given in **Appendix A**]. They would also be able to see just how dangerous this lie really is and how much harm it is doing to the church. The Word of God tells us that **"the invisible things of Him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even His eternal power and Godhead"** (Romans 1:20). Again and again we are urged to proclaim His wondrous works. Again and again the Holy Spirit places before us as evidence of God's sovereignty the staggering beauty and variety of the world He has created. So why do we accept – so blindly and so foolishly – a concept which grossly blasphemes our wonderful Creator by portraying His creation as a vast cavern of chaos and darkness?

The Word of God teaches that the earth is both flat and stationary. The Freemasons at NASA teach something entirely different. Whom do you believe?

"...yea, let God be true, but every man a liar" – Romans 3:4

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APPENDIX A

Passages in the Bible relating to Cosmology

Categories

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1. The foundations of the earth

"...for the pillars of the earth are the LORD'S, and he hath set the world upon them."
– 1 Samuel 2:8.

"Which shaketh the earth out of her place, and the pillars thereof tremble." – Job 9:6

"Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding." – Job 38:4.

"Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof" – Job 38:6.

"The earth and all the inhabitants thereof are dissolved: I bear up the pillars of it."
– Psalm 75:3

"Of old hast thou laid the foundation of the earth: and the heavens are the work of thy hands." – Psalm 102:25.

"Who laid the foundations of the earth, that it should not be removed for ever."
– Psalm 104:5.

"The LORD by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens." – Proverbs 3:19.

"...for the windows from on high are open, and the foundations of the earth do shake."
– Isaiah 24:18

"Have ye not known? have ye not heard? hath it not been told you from the beginning? have ye not understood from the foundations of the earth?" – Isaiah 40:21.

"Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens: when I call unto them, they stand up together." – Isaiah 48:13.

"And forgettest the LORD thy maker, that hath stretched forth the heavens, and laid the foundations of the earth." – Isaiah 51:13.

"Thus saith the LORD, which giveth the sun for a light by day, and the ordinances of the moon and of the stars for a light by night, which divideth the sea when the waves thereof roar; The LORD of hosts is his name: If those ordinances depart from before me, saith the LORD, then the seed of Israel also shall cease from being a nation before me for ever. Thus saith the LORD; If heaven above can be measured, and the foundations of the earth searched out beneath, I will also cast off all the seed of Israel for all that they have done, saith the LORD." – Jeremiah 31:35-37

"...the LORD, which stretcheth forth the heavens, and layeth the foundation of the earth." – Zechariah 12:1.

"And, Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation of the earth; and the heavens are the works of thine hands." – Hebrews 1:10.

2. The waters above

"And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters." – Genesis 1:6

"And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament: and it was so."
– Genesis 1:7

"He made darkness his secret place; his pavilion round about him were dark waters and thick clouds of the skies." – Psalm 18:11

"Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters" – Psalm 104:3

"Praise him, ye heavens of heavens, and ye waters that be above the heavens."
– Psalm 148:4

"Who hath ascended up into heaven, or descended? who hath gathered the wind in his fists? who hath bound the waters in a garment? who hath established all the ends of the earth? what is his name, and what is his son's name, if thou canst tell?"

– Proverbs 30:4

[This is a reference to Christ in the Old Testament and his participation in the work of Creation. The "binding of the waters" would seem to refer to the firmament and its role in restraining the waters above.]

"When he uttereth his voice, there is a multitude of waters in the heavens; and he causeth the vapours to ascend from the ends of the earth: he maketh lightnings with rain, and bringeth forth the wind out of his treasures." – Jeremiah 51:16

3. The waters below

"He hath compassed the waters with bounds, until the day and night come to an end."
– Job 26:10

"Hast thou entered into the springs of the sea? or hast thou walked in the search of the depth?" – Job 38:16

"He gathereth the waters of the sea together as an heap: he layeth up the depth in storehouses." – Psalm 33:7

"When there were no depths, I was brought forth, when there were no fountains abounding with water." – Proverbs 8:24

"When he prepared the heavens, I was there: when he set a compass upon the face of the depth: When he established the clouds above: when he strengthened the fountains of the deep: When he gave to the sea his decree, that the waters should not pass his commandment: when he appointed the foundations of the earth: Then I was by him, as one brought up with him: and I was daily his delight, rejoicing always before him; Rejoicing in the habitable part of his earth; and my delights were with the sons of men." – Proverbs 8:27-31

"Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters." – Revelation 14:7

4. The firmament

"And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters." – Genesis 1:6

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"And God called the firmament Heaven." – Genesis 1:8

"And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so... And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth" – Genesis 1:14-15, 17

"Is not God in the height of heaven? and behold the height of the stars, how high they are! And thou sayest, How doth God know? can he judge through the dark cloud? Thick clouds are a covering to him, that he seeth not; and he walketh in the circuit of heaven." – Job 22:12-14

[If we take "circuit" (*chuwg*) to mean compass or circle, then this passage may be referring to the circularity of the firmament.]

"Hast thou with him spread out the sky, which is strong, and as a molten looking glass?" – Job 37:18

"The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork."
– Psalm 19:1

"Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters" – Psalm 104:3

"Praise ye the LORD. Praise God in his sanctuary: praise him in the firmament of his power." – Psalm 150:1

"It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, and the inhabitants thereof are as grasshoppers; that stretcheth out the heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth them out as a tent to dwell in." – Isaiah 40:22.

[The circle here is likely a reference to the vault above the earth. The inhabitants of the earth dwell beneath a great vault that stretches over them like a tent.]

"And the likeness of the firmament upon the heads of the living creature was as the colour of the terrible crystal, stretched forth over their heads above. And under the firmament were their wings straight, the one toward the other: every one had two, which covered on this side, and every one had two, which covered on that side, their bodies. And when they went, I heard the noise of their wings, like the noise of great waters, as the voice of the Almighty, the voice of speech, as the noise of an host: when they stood, they let down their wings. And there was a voice from the firmament that was over their heads, when they stood, and had let down their wings. And above the firmament that was over their heads was the likeness of a throne, as the appearance of a sapphire stone: and upon the likeness of the throne was the likeness as the appearance of a man above upon it." – Ezekiel 1:22-26

"Then I looked, and, behold, in the firmament that was above the head of the cherubims there appeared over them as it were a sapphire stone, as the appearance of the likeness of a throne." – Ezekiel 10:1

"And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever." – Daniel 12:3

5. The non-movement of the earth [*except* in judgment]

"Fear before him, all the earth: the world also shall be stable, that it be not moved."
– 1 Chronicles 16:30.

"Let all the earth fear the LORD: let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him. For he spake, and it was done; he commanded, and it stood fast." – Psalm 33:8-9

[Barnes would translate verse 9 as follows: "For he spake, and it was;
he commanded and it stood forth."]

"And he built his sanctuary like high palaces, like the earth which he hath established for ever." – Psalm 78:69.

[The word "palaces" does not appear in the Hebrew. The first part should probably read "And he built his sanctuary on high..." He also built it like the earth which he had established forever. The Hebrew word here for "established" is *yacad*, meaning 'to lay a foundation'.]

"The LORD reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the LORD is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: the world also is stablished [*yacad*], that it cannot be moved." – Psalm 93:1

"Who laid the foundations of the earth, that it should not be removed for ever."
– Psalm 104:5.

[The original Hebrew word for 'removed' in this verse is *mowt*, meaning (per Strong's H4131) "to slip, shake, fall" or, per Gesenius, "to totter, to shake".]

"Thy faithfulness is unto all generations: thou hast established the earth, and it abideth." – Psalm 119:90

[The original Hebrew word for "abideth" in this verse is *amad*, meaning (per Gesenius) "to stand firm, to remain, to endure".]

"Thus saith the LORD, The heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool:"
– Isaiah 66:1

"We have walked to and fro through the earth, and, behold, all the earth sitteth still, and is at rest." – Zechariah 1:11

"Heaven is my throne, and earth is my footstool." – Acts 7:49

[Since a throne remains in the same location, these last two verses show that the earth does not move. Also, as regards comparative size, the earth lies stationary beneath the third heaven as a footstool lies fixed beneath a throne. Therefore it cannot be a tiny speck in the vast depths of space as modern astronomy alleges.]

The earth moves only in times of judgment

"Which shaketh the earth out of her place, and the pillars thereof tremble." – Job 9:6

"The LORD reigneth; let the people tremble: he sitteth between the cherubims; let the earth be moved." – Psalm 99:1

"And they shall go into the holes of the rocks, and into the caves of the earth, for fear of the LORD, and for the glory of his majesty, when he ariseth to shake terribly the earth." – Isaiah 2:19 (and 2:21)

"Therefore I will shake the heavens, and the earth shall remove out of her place, in the wrath of the LORD of hosts, and in the day of his fierce anger." – Isaiah 13:13

"The earth is utterly broken down, the earth is clean dissolved, the earth is moved exceedingly. The earth shall reel to and fro like a drunkard, and shall be removed like a cottage; and the transgression thereof shall be heavy upon it; and it shall fall, and not rise again." – Isaiah 24:19-20

[The original Hebrew word for cottage in this verse is *meluwnah*, which can mean (per Gesenius) "a suspended bed" or hammock.]

6. The stretching-out of the heavens

"Which alone spreadeth out the heavens..." – Job 9:8

"He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing." – Job 26:7.

"Hast thou with him spread out the sky, which is strong, and as a molten looking glass?" – Job 37:18

"Bless the LORD, O my soul. O LORD my God, thou art very great; thou art clothed with honour and majesty. Who coverest thyself with light as with a garment: who stretchest out the heavens like a curtain." – Psalm 104:1-2.

"And all the host of heaven shall be dissolved, and the heavens shall be rolled together as a scroll: and all their host shall fall down, as the leaf falleth off from the vine, and as a falling fig from the fig tree." – Isaiah 34:4

"It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, and the inhabitants thereof are as grasshoppers; that stretcheth out the heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth them out as a tent to dwell in." – Isaiah 40:22.

[The original Hebrew word for circle in this verse is *chuwg*, which Strong [H2329] defines as a "circle, circuit, compass". Elsewhere (22:18) Isaiah used the Hebrew word *duwr* to mean "ball" (sphere), so he is unlikely to be referring in this passage to a ball or sphere.]

"Thus saith God the LORD, he that created the heavens, and stretched them out; he that spread forth the earth, and that which cometh out of it; he that giveth breath unto the people upon it, and spirit to them that walk therein." – Isaiah 42:5

[Both the heavens and the earth are "stretched out." According to Gesenius the original Hebrew word for "spread forth" in this verse – *raqa* – means "to spread out by beating." Elsewhere (34:4) the heavens are referred to as a scroll. In one case the action is akin to the unrolling of a parchment (and its subsequent rolling together), while in the other it is akin to the flattening out of a sheet of metal by hammering.]

"I am the LORD that maketh all things; that stretcheth forth the heavens alone; that spreadeth abroad the earth by myself" – Isaiah 44:24

"I have made the earth, and created man upon it: I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded." – Isaiah 45:12

"Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens: when I call unto them, they stand up together." – Isaiah 48:13

"And forgettest the LORD thy maker, that hath stretched forth the heavens, and laid the foundations of the earth..." – Isaiah 51:13

"He hath made the earth by his power, he hath established the world by his wisdom, and hath stretched out the heavens by his discretion." – Jeremiah 10:12 (See also Jeremiah 51:15)

7. The flat, stretched-out earth

"Hast thou perceived the breadth (*rachab*) of the earth? declare if thou knowest it all." – Job 38:18

"He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing." – Job 26:7

"For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him. As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us." – Psalm 103:11-12

[This must surely refer to a flat earth, where east and west never meet.]

"To him that stretched out the earth above the waters: for his mercy endureth forever."
– Psalm 136:6

"And he shall set up an ensign for the nations, and shall assemble the outcasts of Israel, and gather together the dispersed of Judah from the four corners of the earth."
– Isaiah 11:12

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"The tree grew, and was strong, and the height thereof reached unto heaven, and the sight thereof to the end of all the earth" – Daniel 4:11

"Again, the devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them" – Matthew 4:8

"And the devil, taking him up into an high mountain, shewed unto him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time." – Luke 4:5

"And they went up on the breadth of the earth, and compassed the camp of the saints about, and the beloved city: and fire came down from God out of heaven, and devoured them." – Revelation 20:9

[Both the Hebrew word for "breadth" in Job 38:18 (*rachab* – Strong's 7338) and the Greek word for "breadth" in this verse (*platos* – Strong's 4114) mean breadth in exactly the same sense that we use the term today, similar to "width" and "broad place" (Strong). This indicates a flat surface, not a curved one.]

8. The movement of the sun

"Then spake Joshua to the LORD in the day when the LORD delivered up the Amorites before the children of Israel, and he said in the sight of Israel, Sun, stand thou still upon Gibeon; and thou, Moon, in the valley of Ajalon. And the sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies. Is not this written in the book of Jasher? So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and hasted not to go down about a whole day." – Joshua 10:12-13

[Note that Joshua orders the sun and the moon to stand still, not the earth and the moon.]

"So let all thine enemies perish, O LORD: but let them that love him be as the sun when he goeth forth in his might." – Judges 5:31

"Which commandeth the sun, and it riseth not; and sealet up the stars." – Job 9:7

[In this verse Job illustrates the awesome power of God by showing that He can cause the sun to stop moving and prevent the stars from giving their light.]

"The heavens declare the glory of God... In them hath he set a tabernacle for the sun, which is as a bridegroom coming out of his chamber, and rejoiceth as a strong man to run a race. His going forth is from the end of the heaven, and his circuit unto the ends of it: and there is nothing hid from the heat thereof." – Psalm 19:1, 4-6

"He appointed the moon for seasons: the sun knoweth his going down."
– Psalm 104:19

[The sun cannot reasonably be said to know its going down if it is not in real motion.]

"The sun also ariseth, and the sun goeth down, and hastens to his place where he arose." – Ecclesiastes 1:5

"For the stars of heaven and the constellations thereof shall not give their light: the sun shall be darkened in his going forth, and the moon shall not cause her light to shine." – Isaiah 13:10

"Behold, I will bring again the shadow of the degrees, which is gone down in the sun dial of Ahaz, ten degrees backward. So the sun returned ten degrees, by which degrees it was gone down." – Isaiah 38:8

"And it shall come to pass in that day, saith the Lord GOD, that I will cause the sun to go down at noon, and I will darken the earth in the clear day" – Amos 8:9

"The sun and moon stood still in their habitation." – Habakkuk 3:11

[The prophet records that the sun and the moon stood still, not the earth and the moon.]

9. The self-luminous moon

"And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also." – Genesis 1:16

"And for the precious fruits brought forth by the sun, and for the precious things put forth by the moon..." – Deuteronomy 33:14

"If I beheld the sun when it shined, or the moon walking in brightness" – Job 31:26

"He appointed the moon for seasons..." – Psalm 104:19

"The moon and stars to rule by night: for his mercy endureth forever." – Psalm 136:9

"For the stars of heaven and the constellations thereof shall not give their light: the sun shall be darkened in his going forth, and the moon shall not cause her light to shine." – Isaiah 13:10

"Then the moon shall be confounded, and the sun ashamed, when the LORD of hosts shall reign in mount Zion, and in Jerusalem, and before his ancients gloriously."
– Isaiah 24:23

"Moreover the light of the moon shall be as the light of the sun, and the light of the sun shall be sevenfold, as the light of seven days, in the day that the LORD bindeth up the breach of his people, and healeth the stroke of their wound." – Isaiah 30:26

"The sun shall be no more thy light by day; neither for brightness shall the moon give light unto thee: but the LORD shall be unto thee an everlasting light, and thy God thy glory." – Isaiah 60:19

"Thus saith the LORD, which giveth the sun for a light by day, and the ordinances of the moon and of the stars for a light by night" – Jeremiah 31:35

"And when I shall put thee out, I will cover the heaven, and make the stars thereof dark; I will cover the sun with a cloud, and the moon shall not give her light."
– Ezekiel 32:7

"Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light" – Matthew 24:29

"There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars: for one star differeth from another star in glory." – 1 Corinthians 15:41

"... and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood"
– Revelation 6:12

"And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it: for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof." – Revelation 21:23

10. The fixed stars and the "wandering" stars

"And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so. And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also. And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth. And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and God saw that it was good." – Genesis 1:14-18

"They fought from heaven; the stars in their courses fought against Sisera."
– Judges 5:20

"Is not God in the height of heaven? and behold the height of the stars, how high they are! And thou sayest, How doth God know? can he judge through the dark cloud? Thick clouds are a covering to him, that he seeth not; and he walketh in the circuit of heaven." – Job 22:12-14

"The moon and stars to rule by night: for his mercy endureth for ever." – Psalm 136:9

"He telleth the number of the stars; he calleth them all by their names." – Psalm 147:4

"For the stars of heaven and the constellations thereof shall not give their light: the sun shall be darkened in his going forth, and the moon shall not cause her light to shine." – Isaiah 13:10

"And all the host of heaven shall be dissolved, and the heavens shall be rolled together as a scroll: and all their host shall fall down, as the leaf falleth off from the vine, and as a falling fig from the fig tree." – Isaiah 34:4

"Lift up your eyes on high, and behold who hath created these things, that bringeth out their host by number: he calleth them all by names by the greatness of his might, for that he is strong in power; not one faileth." – Isaiah 40:26

"I have made the earth, and created man upon it: I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded." – Isaiah 45:12

"The earth shall quake before them; the heavens shall tremble: the sun and the moon shall be dark, and the stars shall withdraw their shining:" – Joel 2:10

"Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken" – Matthew 24:29

"And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring" – Luke 21:25

"There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars: for one star differeth from another star in glory." – 1 Corinthians 15:41

"Raging waves of the sea, foaming out their own shame; wandering stars, to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness for ever." – Jude 1:13

"And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places." – Revelation 6:14

"And the fourth angel sounded, and the third part of the sun was smitten, and the third part of the moon, and the third part of the stars; so as the third part of them was darkened, and the day shone not for a third part of it, and the night likewise."
– Revelation 8:14

"And his tail drew the third part of the stars of heaven, and did cast them to the earth"
– Revelation 12:4

[These two verses refer to a third part of the stars. In the latter verse, they are generally understood to refer to the company of angels that rebelled. Stars and angels are so closely associated throughout God's Word that there may be some otherwise unexplained connection between them.]

11. Geocentric spatial relations

It is impossible to do justice to Biblical cosmology without taking into account the hundreds of passages throughout the Bible that are plainly geocentric and whose natural meanings imply a common frame of reference that embraces both heaven and earth.

The Bible refers many times to "the face of the earth" and "the four corners of the earth", both of which suggest an expansive surface or extended plane, visible in its entirety from an elevated vantage, and certainly not a sphere or ball. The face of a sphere, if we can use that term, could refer only to one side or hemisphere, in the same way that a human face covers only one side of our head. Equally, a sphere or ball could not be said to have even one corner, not to speak of four.

The billions of miles of space, which modern astronomers propose, are in sharp conflict with the spatial framework used in the Bible. The earth of the Bible is inconceivably larger than the sun in absolute terms. It is impossible to reconcile Biblical cosmology – how God describes His own Creation – with the bizarre 'cosmos' of modern astronomy, where the earth could not possibly be more pathetic or insignificant. Indeed, the more pronouncements that NASA and its allies make about the 'cosmos' the more stridently they contradict the Biblical account. It is always the same small pool of self-appointed 'experts' who make these outlandish declarations, with no hard evidence whatever to back them up.

Christians need to ask themselves why they believe the picture of heaven and earth portrayed by NASA, not simply because it conflicts with the Biblical narrative but because this secretive, Masonic organization continues to spew forth nonsensical pronouncements that mock God's Word. Do you seriously think the earth is in danger of being destroyed by a giant asteroid? Do you seriously believe the earth is spinning on its 'axis' at 1,000 miles an hour? Do you seriously believe there is 'intelligent life' in the 'depths' of space? Do you seriously believe that two men wearing only nylon pyjamas landed on the moon in an aluminum can in 1969?

The ONLY evidence you have for any of this is the relentless propaganda engineered by NASA, aided and abetted by Hollywood, the big television corporations, and the mainstream media. Why are Christians willing to set aside God's Word and believe an alternative account of reality for which they possess not one shred of objective, verifiable evidence?

Ascending and descending

"And the LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of men builded... Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech." – Genesis 11:5-7

"And he dreamed, and behold a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven: and behold the angels of God ascending and descending on it."
– Genesis 28:12

"Who hath ascended up into heaven, or descended?" – Proverbs 30:4.

"For he hath looked down from the height of his sanctuary; from heaven did the LORD behold the earth" – Psalm 102:19

"Bow thy heavens, O LORD, and come down: touch the mountains, and they shall smoke." – Psalm 144:5

[See also "He bowed the heavens also, and came down; and darkness was under his feet." – 2 Samuel 22:10]

[The LORD "bowed" [stretched out or bent (like a bow)] the heavens and "came down", an action that began in the third heaven and continued past the firmament to the mountains below.]

"Oh that thou wouldest rend the heavens, that thou wouldest come down, that the mountains might flow down at thy presence." – Isaiah 64:1

"And the kingdom and dominion, and the greatness of the kingdom under the whole heaven, shall be given to the people of the saints of the most High, whose kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey him." – Daniel 7:27

"For, behold, the LORD cometh forth out of his place, and will come down, and tread upon the high places of the earth." – Micah 1:3

"And no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of man which is in heaven." – John 3:13.

"Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." – Acts 4:12

"But he, being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up stedfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God, And said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God."
– Acts 7:55-56

12. The impossibility of space travel

"The heaven for height, and the earth for depth, and the heart of kings is unsearchable."
– Proverbs 25:3

[The structure of this verse, with its parallelism, shows that the dimensions of the earth are "unsearchable" – beyond our ability to measure in a scientific manner. Therefore the earth could not be a sphere, the dimensions of which *are* measurable. The heavens, too, are unsearchable, which means that man will never travel beyond the perspective of the earth and measure the depths of 'outer space'. Space travel is therefore impossible.]

"Thus saith the LORD, which giveth the sun for a light by day, and the ordinances of the moon and of the stars for a light by night, which divideth the sea when the waves thereof roar; The LORD of hosts is his name: If those ordinances depart from before me, saith the LORD, then the seed of Israel also shall cease from being a nation before me for ever. Thus saith the LORD; If heaven above can be measured, and the foundations of the earth searched out beneath, I will also cast off all the seed of Israel for all that they have done, saith the LORD." – Jeremiah 31:35-37

[The prophet states categorically that the dimensions of the earth beneath our feet and of the heavens above our heads will never be measured by man. The earth is not a sphere and space travel is impossible.]

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